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The GL SteelFab Trawl-Resistant Bottom Mount (TRBM) is profiled to minimize exposed hook points where the trawler gear can catch. Rather than completely resisting the trawler gear scraping effect, this TRBM complies with the applied forces by simply tilting against the sea floor and popping back into position once the trawler gear has passed.

The TRBM-VR4 was specifically designed for the Innovasea VR4-UWM (underwater modem) acoustic receiver and the EdgeTech PORT-MFE acoustic release. The release and the VR4 are connected together with a short stainless steel rod (see picture) before sliding both items from the top of the float. The equipment is then locked in position from the top using the longer rod. A rope is passed through the lug and is secured to the anchor. Only a few inches is required between the TRBM and the anchor resulting in a short exposed profile with minimal hook points.



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